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In re Patent Application of:
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For: A PHOSPHOENOLPYRUVATE SYNTHASE
GENE USED IN PLANT PROTECTION

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated July 16, 2007, for which a response is due on August 16, 2007. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.